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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180

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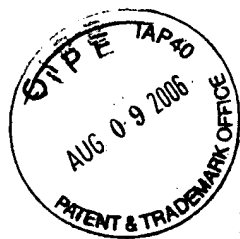
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Submitted herewith is a marked-up copy of the Filing Receipt, dated June 29, 2006, with a request that the citys be corrected from "Tokyo" to --Kanagawa--. A supplemental Application Data Sheet is also enclosed showing the corrections.

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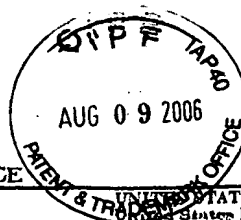
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